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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE LONG-TERM PETROLEUM AGREEMENT FOR ECUADOR

1. HAROLD HEWETT, JR. IS DIRECTOR OF PETROLEUM PROJECTS FOR CRUTCHER-ROLFS-CUMMINGS, INC., OF HOUSTON, TEXAS. HE PLANS ON FLYING TO QUITO SATURDAY, APRIL 8, FOR A 10-DAY VISIT TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF A LONG-TERM BARTER AGREEMENT WITH THE GOE. HEWETT WOULD BARTER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, PETROLEUM SERVICES, AND PARTICIPATION IN CIVIL CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS FOR ECUADOREAN CRUDE OIL. HEWETT SAYS THAT HE HAS A REFINERY ON THE TEXAS COAST THAT CAN REFINER 20,000 BARRELS PER DAY.

2. HEWETT WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS HIS PLANS WITH APPROPRIATE EMBASSY OFFICERS. HE WAS TOLD THAT WE WOULD ASK FOR AN APPOINTMENT WITH ECONOMIC COUNSELOR COHEN, AND WOULD LEAVE UNCLASSIFIED

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IT UP TO COHEN AS TO WHETHER ANY OTHER OFFICERS SHOULD SIT IN (E.G., THE AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE). HEWETT WAS ALSO TOLD TO TELEPHONE COHEN'S OFFICE MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 10, TO FIND OUT WHEN THE APPOINTMENT WILL BE.

3. HEWETT IS NOT REPEAT NOT ASKING FOR ANY HELP IN ARRANGING APPOINTMENTS WITH GOE OFFICIALS. ECUADOREAN PETROLEUM

ATTACHE RODRIGO CABEZAS IS HANDLING THAT SIDE. CABEZAS,

INCIDENTALLY, HAS COMPLETED HIS TOUR HERE, AND IS
SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO ECUADOR THIS FRIDAY, APRIL 7.

4. FOR GUAYAQUIL: HEWETT'S PRESENT PLANS DO NOT REPEAT
NOT INCLUDE A TRIP TO GUAYAQUIL. VANCE

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